

Intensive English Program

Office of ESL Services

Program Description:

Each semester's non-credit Intensive English Program is designed for those who would like to study English for academic purposes. This program is a rigorous program for students whose TOEFL scores are between 400/97/32 and 500/172/61. Students may apply for more than one semester at a time. During the 14-week fall and spring semesters, classes are conducted 21 hours per week. During the 10-week summer semester, classes are conducted 30 hours per week. Instruction focuses on the areas of reading vocabulary, writing, grammar, listening, speaking, pronunciation, culture, and TOEFL preparation. Classes are small and are conducted by experienced instructors who hold their Masters degrees in English as a Second Language. Students will receive evaluations of their progress at mid-term and at the end of the semester. These evaluations are based upon class participation, homework, quizzes, tests, reports, effort, and attendance. Attendance is mandatory for enrolled students, as per the University of Texas at San Antonio's and the Department of Homeland Security regulations. Requirements for the IEP are: 1) Must be 17 years old 2) Be a high school graduate 3) **Must submit a bank statement showing that you have at least \$8,500 to pay educational expenses** 4) Must have a strong desire to learn English. Our program is rigorous English for Academic Purposes program. We give lots of homework and students are in class at least 21 hours per week..

Approximate Costs per Semester: (Prices are Subject to Change)

Subject to Change) Prices after the 2008 and 2009 years are approximate

Program Costs:

Tuition	\$2750.00
Application fee:	45.00
Testing	50.00
Textbooks	250.00
<u>Personal Expenses</u>	<u>800.00</u>
TOTAL	\$3895.00

(Field Trips (summer only) \$200.00)
Summer Total **\$4095.00**

Medical Insurance:

One Year	\$1,120.00
One Semester	\$ 445.00
Summer only	\$ 310.00

Housing:

Shared apartments	
One Semester	\$2125.00
Summer	\$1152.00
Furniture Charge	337.00

On-Meal Plan:

One Semester	\$954.00
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University Fees: (estimates)

International Student Fee	50.00
Student Services	15.40
Athletics Fee	10.00
Automated Services	100.00
University Center	20.00
Medical Services	25.85
University Publications	5.00
International Education Fund	2.00
Recreation Center	120.00
Library Services	14.00
ID Card	3.00
Tech & LC Support	5.00
Records Processing	10.00
TB Testing	5.00
<u>Energy Fee</u>	<u>35.00</u>
TOTAL	\$421.25
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Summary for One Semester

Program costs:	4,095.00
Housing/Meals	3,079.00
Medical Insurance:	445.00
<u>University Fees:</u>	<u>471.00</u>
TOTAL	\$8,427.00